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IP FM 30 (5-66) DESTROY PREVIOUS
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1966 JUN 25 03 50Z

FM NPIC WASH DC

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REF A NPIC 6296, DTG 192236Z, JAN 66

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B NPIC 6338, DTG 262342Z, JAN 66

INITIAL SCAN BY NPIC OF MISSION

1966 CONFIRMS THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN AIRFIELD AT YEN BAI, NORTH VIETNAM, AT 2143N 10451E (REF A AND B).

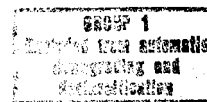
THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED:

1. CONSTRUCTION ON THE RUNWAY BASE IS CONTINUING AT AN INCREASED RATE. THE AREA OF GRADING AND LEVELING HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO APPROXIMATELY 10,500 X 950 FEET IN A NW/SE ORIENTATION.
2. AT LEAST 80 PIECES OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT ARE OBSERVED, MANY OF WHICH ARE TRACK-MOUNTED AND/OR CANVAS COVERED, AND SOME OF WHICH ARE IN REVETMENTS.
3. THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED ROAD NETWORK (REF A AND B) IN THE AREA APPEARS TO BE IN LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. SEVERAL NEW ROADS AND NEW STORAGE AREAS ARE OBSERVED NORTHEAST OF THE RUNWAY. NEW HOUSING, OPEN STORAGE AND POL DRUM STORAGE AREAS ARE ALSO OBSERVED.

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4. AN ELABORATE DRAINAGE SYSTEM CONSISTING OF DRAINAGE CANALS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE RUNWAY APPEARS TO BE IN LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION.

5. DEFENSES FOR THE IMMEDIATE AREA INCLUDE 13 OCCUPIED LIGHT AAA SITES (43 POSITIONS PROBABLY OCCUPIED, 5 POSITIONS UNOCCUPIED) AND AT LEAST 22 UNOCCUPIED LIGHT AAA SITES. NUMEROUS TRENCHES, FOXHOLES, AND AW POSITIONS ARE OBSERVED. (BB)

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